

# **Durham University Faculty Handbook Online**

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's <u>core regulations for undergraduate programmes</u>, and the <u>marking and classification conventions for undergraduate programmes</u>.

# BSc Psychology (C800); BSc Psychology (With Year Abroad) (C801)

1. This programme is available at Durham City, in a full-time mode of study.

## **Admissions**

- 2. The BSc Psychology with Year Abroad (C801) programme is only available to students admitted to the BSc Psychology (C800) programme.
- 3. Candidates wishing to transfer to BSc Psychology (with Year Abroad) (C801) must:
  - have successfully completed BSc Psychology (C800) Level 1 and progressed to Level 2 of the Honours or Ordinary programme;
  - during the first term of Level 2 study, apply to the Board of Studies in Psychology to be admitted to the BSc Psychology (with Year Abroad) (C801) and have their application approved by the Chair of the Board of Studies in Psychology;
  - c. successfully complete Level 2 of the BSc Psychology (C800) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BSc Psychology (C800) Honours programme.

#### Level 1 (Certificate)

4. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

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Classic Papers: A Tutorial Introduction to Psychological Science	PSYC1061	20
Introduction to Psychological Research	PSYC1062	40
Introduction to Psychology I: Cognitive and Biological Psychology	PSYC1071	20
Introduction to Psychology II: Developmental and Social	PSYC1081	20
Psychology		

5. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List A:

List A: Credit value

Level 1 Modules up to the value of 20 credits from another board of studies (including appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study)

#### Level 2 (Diploma)

6. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

	Credit value
<b>PSYC2177</b>	10
PSYC2147	10
PSYC2187	10
PSYC2197	10
PSYC2207	10
<b>PSYC2157</b>	10
PSYC2121	20
PSYC2091	20
PSYC2101	20
	PSYC2147 PSYC2187 PSYC2197 PSYC2207 PSYC2157 PSYC2121 PSYC2091

#### Year 3 (Year Abroad)

- 7. Students will undertake an approved placement in an overseas university taking a course of study chosen in consultation with the programme director and the host institution.
- 8. Students whom the Board of Examiners deems to have made satisfactory progress on the year abroad, judged by reference to each student's learning agreement, will continue to Level 3 of the BSc Psychology (with Year Abroad) (C801) programme. Students who have not made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will not be permitted to continue on the BSc Psychology

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(with Year Abroad) (C801) programme, but must instead proceed to the final year of the BSc Psychology (C800) programme

# Level 3 (Degree)

9. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

Psychology Dissertation ~ Credit value 40

10. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List B:

List B:		Credit value
Learning and Animal Cognition	PSYC3201	20
Social Perception	PSYC3221	20
The Visual Brain *	PSYC3181	20
Neuropsychology of Amnesia	PSYC3297	10
Psychology of Attention *	PSYC3307	10
Cognitive Neuropsychology *	PSYC3247	10
Vision and Visual Neuroscience	PSYC3237	10
Fetal Development	PSYC3267	10
Child Health in a Social Context	PSYC3257	10
Human Evolutionary Psychology	PSYC3277	10
The Multisensory Body	PSYC3337	10
Atypical Development *	PSYC3327	10
Cognitive Development	PSYC3xx7	10
Cognitive Neuroscience in Practice	PSYS3387	10
Psychology into Schools	PSYS3221	20
Psychology in the Workplace	PSYS3251	20
Psychology & Health Promotion	PSYS3297	10
The Psychology of Illness	PSYS3347	10
Forensic Psychology	PSYS3277	10
Psychopathy *	PSYS3307	10
Sport and Exercise	PSYS3327	10
Mind, Brain and Consciousness	PSYS3287	10
Psychological Practice	PSYS3377	10
Reward and Addiction	PSYS3367	10

11. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List C:

List C:	Credit value
Modules up to the value of 20 credits from List B	20
Modules up to the value of 20 credits from another board of studies (including	20
appropriate credit-bearing language modules offered by the University's	
Centre for Foreign Language Study)	

## Assessment, progression and award

- 12. Modules marked with a ¥ are a precluded combination
- 13. Modules marked with a # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the Ordinary degree at the next Level.
- 14. Modules marked with a ~ must be passed at 40% or above for the award of an honours degree. A mark of 30-39% cannot be compensated.
- 15. Modules marked with a \* are not available in 2018-19.
- 16. Not all the modules in List B will necessarily be available in any one year.

#### Professional accreditation

17. This programme is accredited on an ongoing basis from the 2012-13 intake as conferring eligibility for the Graduate Basis for Chartered Membership of the British Psychological Society. Students entering in and after October 2006 need to achieve a minimum of a second class honours degree to gain eligibility.